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PHYSICIANS & SURGEONS

Most Eminent Ones in the Country and from Europe Gathered in Washington—An Instance of Bloodless Surgery.

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The sixth

triennial session of the Congress of American Physicians and Surgeons convened here to-day. The Congress includes in its membership many of the foremost medical men of the world. Specialists in all branches of medicine are present in the country, several hundred of whom were present, when it was called to order by Dr. William W. Keen, of Philadelphia, professor of surgery at the Jefferson Medical College. At the opening attendance were eminent physicians and surgeons, not only of the United States, but of all countries of Europe. During the sessions of the Congress which will occupy the next three days, papers by eminent authorities will be read on the spread of malaria, yellow fever and kindred diseases; on the prevention of disease among emigrants on the Panama Canal; and on the treatment of the venereal disease. Dr. Walter

Reed and their yalve to medical science. At to-day's session of the Pediatric Society, eleven-year-old Charles Willett, of this city, who last fall was operated upon for club feet, by Dr. Adolph Lorenz, the distinguished Austrian specialist, was presented as evidence of the efficacy of Dr. Lorenz's method of "turning out surgery." "My feet are now as straight as those of any child, and members of the society were asked to compare them with the cases showing the condition before the operation. Professor

When President Kean called the congress to order this afternoon he announced that a committee had been appointed to take charge of the project of erecting a memorial in this city to the late Walter Reed, of the army medical department, whose experiments tended to prove that mosquitoes transmit the infection of yellow fever. It is proposed to raise at least \$20,000 for this memorial.

This evening at 8 o'clock Dr. W. Kien, the president, delivered an address on "The Duties and Responsibilities of Trustees of Medical Institutions."

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## GREAT NORTHERN STRIKE

Another Attempt Will Be Made to Effect Settlement.

(By Associated Press.)

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 12.—The latest development in the negotiations between

the Great Northern Railway Company and a committee representing its trainmen was the announcement to-night that a joint committee from St. Paul Jobbers Union and the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce will meet with the committee and the railroad officials to-morrow and endeavor to harmonize matters and avert, if possible, a strike which they deem would be disastrous to the business interests of the Northwest.

Meantime, both sides are preparing to meet what may be the inevitable outcome.

for what  
come of the dead-lock in the negotia-  
tions. The men claim to be fully pre-  
pared for a struggle.

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## ALABAMA REPUBLICANS

They Endorse Teddy and Will Associa-  
With Negroes.

(By Associated Press.)

BIRMINGHAM, ALA., May 12.—The  
State Republican Executive Committee  
this afternoon, adopted the following

Books and Pictures.

One of the most interesting of social problems now in circulation is that our people

civilization can show in New York city a family, high in social prestige, whose three daughters have each gone through the divorce court, one of them twice. Rapid transit matrimony and rapid-fire divorce constitute one of our greatest and most distinctive national triumphs. Springfield Republican.